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bronchitis, 4; cirrhosis of liver, 3; diarrhea and dysentery, 4; enteritis, 2; puerperal fever, 1; malarial fevers, 4; gangrene, 1; gastritis, 4; hepatitis, 4; meningitis, 1; senile debility, 2; Bright's disease, 1; nephritis, 1; stillborn, 6; pneumonia, 1; syphilis, 4; tetanus, 1; tetanus, infantile, 3; tuberculosis, 15, and from other causes, 51. There were 2 cases of smallpox.

NOVEMBER 3, 1902.

For the week ended November 1, 1902, there were reported 79 deaths from the following causes: Aneurism, 1; arterio-sclerosis, 2; beriberi, 1; bronchitis, 2; diarrhea, 1; enteritis, 3; malarial fevers, 3; gangrene, 2; gastritis, 5; hepatitis, 2; elephantiasis, 1; meningitis, 1; senile debility, 2; Bright's disease, 1; stillborn, 6; pneumonia, 2; infantile tetanus, 2; tuberculosis, 11, and from other causes 31. There were 2 cases of smallpox.

H. W. FURNISS.

The SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

CANADA.

*Inspection of immigrants at Quebec.*

QUEBEC, CANADA, November 17, 1902.

Week ended Saturday, November 15: Inspected, 258; passed, 258.

W. C. BILLINGS,  
Assistant Surgeon.

The SURGEON-GENERAL.

CHINA.

*Report from Hongkong—Traffic with Philippines resumed.*

HONGKONG, CHINA, October 18, 1902.

For the week ended October 11, 1902, 10 vessels were inspected, 843 individuals were bathed at the disinfecting station, and 1,120 pieces of baggage were disinfected. There were 3 rejections from all causes during the week. Cholera has about disappeared, no cases having been reported during the week. The sanitary report shows 1 case of plague and 1 death, the body having been found in the street in the Chinese quarter of the city. One case of enteric fever (Indian) was also reported in the colony during the week.

On advice from P. A. Surg. J. C. Perry, chief quarantine officer for the Philippine Islands, that the restrictions against Asiatic steerage passengers had been removed at Philippine ports, this traffic was again resumed October 8, 1902.

JOHN W. KERR,  
Assistant Surgeon.

The SURGEON-GENERAL.

EGYPT.

*Reports on cholera.*

CAIRO, EGYPT, October 20, 1902.

SIR: I have the honor to confirm the following cablegram to the Department regarding the cholera epidemic in Egypt:

CAIRO, EGYPT, October 18, 1902.

SECRETARY OF STATE, Washington:

Since 12th instant, 705 cases cholera, 636 deaths—all Egypt.—SMITH.

The sanitary department had hoped to officially announce the end of the epidemic by this time, but, while the conditions have continued to improve rapidly, it will be a fortnight or more before the disease has entirely disappeared in all the provinces.

The following will show the number of cases and deaths for the week ended October 18, 1902.

Egypt.	New cases.	Deaths.	Cures.	Egypt.	New cases.	Deaths.	Cures.
<b>Cities:</b>				<b>Provinces—Cont'd.</b>			
Cairo.....	2	10	1	Dakalieh.....	38	43	15
Alexandria.....	10	54	22	Galioubieh.....	20	26	6
Port Said.....	2	4	.....	Menoufieh.....	17	77	8
Damietta.....	13	21	5	Ghizeh.....	3	14	4
Suez.....	1	3	1	Beni-Souef.....	4	5	3
Ishmailia.....	.....	1	.....	Fayoum.....	20	34	1
El Arish.....	.....	1	3	Minieh.....	.....	1	.....
<b>Provinces:</b>				Assiout.....	5	7	15
Garbieh.....	9	38	7	Girgueh.....	29	42	19
Behera.....	22	167	4	Keneh.....	35	71	9
Charkieh.....	5	13	5				

Total cases in all Egypt since date of outbreak (July 15, 1902) 38,687; total deaths, 32,918; total cures, 5,664.

OCTOBER 29, 1902.

SIR: I have the honor to confirm the following telegram to the Department regarding the cholera epidemic in Egypt:

CAIRO, EGYPT, October 25, 1902.

SECRETARY OF STATE, Washington:

Since 18th instant, 509 cases cholera, 453 deaths—all Egypt.—SMITH.

The following will show the number of cases and deaths in the cities and provinces during the week ended October 25, 1902:

Egypt.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cures.	Egypt.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cures.
<b>Cities:</b>				<b>Provinces—Cont'd.</b>			
Cairo.....	7	8	1	Dakalieh.....	4	11	11
Alexandria.....	17	47	9	Galioubieh.....	13	17	2
Port Said.....	.....	.....	1	Menoufieh.....	6	20	7
Damietta.....	7	11	12	Gizeh.....	2	3	4
Suez.....	1	1	.....	Beni-Souef.....	.....	.....	2
Ismailia.....	.....	2	.....	Fayoum.....	11	16	3
<b>Provinces:</b>				Girgueh.....	36	46	7
Garbieh.....	12	22	4	Keneh.....	49	89	16
Behera.....	22	147	5	Assouan.....	1	1	.....
Charkieh.....	3	11	1				

The conditions still continue to improve. Yesterday's bulletin shows the provinces of Beni-Souef, Minieh, Assiout, and Assouan to be entirely free and no fresh cases or deaths are reported in Cairo, Port Said, Suez, Ismailia, and El Arish.

Total number of cases in all Egypt since outbreak (July 15, 1902) is 39,277; deaths, 33,443; cures, 5,744.

Respectfully,

H. T. SMITH,

United States Vice Consul-General, In Charge.

The ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE.